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For: **ADHESIVE TAPE** (as amended)  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the specification pursuant to 37 CFR 1.121 as follows:

On page 1, delete all lines above line 9

On page 1, line 9, replace the title "Adhesive tapes" with the following title: Adhesive

Tape

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